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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated June 29, 2004, kindly amend the above-identified patent application as follows. This Response is being filed in connection with a two-month extension of time, extending the date for responding to the Office Action to November 29, 2004. Therefore, this Response is considered timely.